CHAPTER 49

(Senate Bill 167)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 700A (a) of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1963 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Places of Reformation and Punishment", sub-heading "Department of Correction" to amend the law relating to the work release program to delete a limitation, according to the length of sentence, on the eligibility of prisoners to participate in the work release program.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 700A (a) of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1963 Supplement), title "Crimes and Punishments", subtitle "Places of Reformation and Punishment", sub-heading "Department of Correction", be and the same is hereby repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

700A.

(a) The Department of Correction is authorized and directed to establish a "work release" program under which prisoners sentenced to [terms of not more than five years in] an institution under the jurisdiction of said Department may be granted the privilege of leaving actual confinement during necessary and reasonable hours for the purpose of working at gainful private employment in this State. Such program may also include, under appropriate conditions, release for the purpose of seeking such employment.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1964.

Approved April 7, 1964.

CHAPTER 50

(Senate Bill 30)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments. Section 61 of Article 17 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Clerks of Courts", subtitle "Clerks of Circuit Courts and Superior Court of Baltimore City", amending the law concerning the furnishing of plats for subdivisions in order to require that an additional plat be furnished to the clerk of the court and by him sent to the supervisor of assessments in the county or Baltimore City in which the subdivision is located.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 61 of Article 17 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Clerks of Courts", subtitle "Clerks of Circuit Courts and Superior Court of Baltimore City", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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The maker of the said plat or plats, when the same shall be pre-